39. Two-thirds of the cost of additional staff should be borne by the Centre during the Seventh Five Year Plan.

40. A refresher/orientation training may be organised for the different functionaries engaged in Rural Development Programme. For this purpose, additional training facilities be created wherever necessary and the full cost hereof may be borne by the Centre.

3070. [*Transferred to the 28 th August*, 1987].

3071. [*Transferred to the 24th August*, 1987].

Implementation of JCM Award in DRDO

3072. SHRI RAFIQUE ALAM: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1506 given in the Rajya Sabha on 7th August, 1986 and state:

(a) whether Government have since taken a final decision regarding implementation of the arbitration award (JCM) on Senior Scientific Assistants in the DRDO, Ministry of Defence;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; if not, what are the reasons for delay; and

(c) by when a final decision in the matter is likely to be taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) to (c) The matter is still under consideration of the Government and a decision is expected to be taken shortly.

Bank overdraft amounts against Army Officers in Jammu and Kashmir

3073. SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 3185 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 4th December, 1986 and state:

(a) whether the overdraft amounts to bank branches in Jammu and Kashmir against the army officers have been liquidated; and

(b) if so, what is the outstanding amount against each of the officers which has been liquidated and the reasons for the non-recovery of the remaining amount?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) All army Officers and other ranks posted in Jammu and Kashmir have since liquidated and overdraft amounts due to the public sector banks. Those posted out of Jammu & Kashmir have been instructed to clear their dues immediately.

(b) It will not be in the public interest to divulge the particulars of individual officers and the amounts of overdraft cleared by them/outstanding against them.

Court cases against Cantonment Boards and Directorate of Defence Estates in U.P.

3074. SHRI SHARAD YADAV: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of court cases involving cantonment Boards in UP and Directorate of Defence Estates, Central Command, Lucknow, which are pending in District Courts, High Court and the Supreme Court: